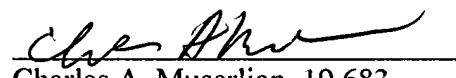


**REMARKS**

The amendment is submitted to remove multiple dependency from the claims and to conform the claims to the American practice.

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